

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEIn re the application of: Winfried Edelmann *et al.*

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For: *METHODS FOR MODULATING THE
ACTIVITY OF MSH5 (as Amended)*

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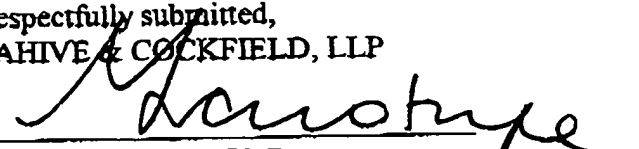
By: Maria C. Laccotripe, Ph.D.
Limited Recognition Under 37 C.F.R. § 10.9(b)
Attorney for Applicants**REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicants request a one-month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) in which to respond to the Office Action dated June 4, 2002 for the above-identified application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee of \$110.00 based on large entity status to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. *A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.*

Please charge any underpayments or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. *A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.*

Respectfully submitted,
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